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The 1952 Royal is an event of the past. As was intimated last week, Halton exhibitors would give an outstanding account of themselves, and they did. We cannot hope to cover all of the winnings of all Halton exhibitors, but here are a few of the highlights which came to our attention.

Jersey Show

Every province in Canada with the exception of Newfoundland was represented in this great show which in our opinion was the finest Jersey show it has ever been our privilege to witness. No less than 64 breeders made entries and the prizes were well distributed with

no breeder dominating the show. Ken Ellis of Hornby, and M. C. Beatty of Milton, R. R. 4, each had a red ribbon. In the case of the Ella herd this was on their senior yearling heifer in milk. In addition Rock Ella Jerseys also brought home an eighth and ninth which in classes ranging up to thirty or more head, is no mean achievement. Beatty's Lindale herd also had two fourth, two fifths and an eighth in addition to the red ribbon on their winning three year old in milk.

Featherstone Bros. Avonlea herd had a third, a fourth, a fifth and a sixth. Gerald Graham of Georgetown, had fourth on his great senior calf and eighth on his three year old herd sire. The fact that this animal was grand champion male at the Halton show last September, and reserve grand at the Western Ontario Championship show at Simcoe, will give some idea of the quality of this great show.

Sale of Jersey Stars

\$1079 was the average of the animals sold in this great sale. Prominent American Jersey breeders present stated that were it not for the present embargo the average figure realized would have been doubled. This again is another indication of the high quality of both the sale and the show. Gerald Graham's 4th prize senior calf, namely Graham Farm Goldbeam Caramac, brought \$600; Featherstone Bros. 5th prize three years old in milk, Avonlea Basil's Pinn Pet brought \$1,000, while Maurice Beatty's Lindale Basil Princess the winner in this class was knocked down at \$3600. It will be recalled that Princess is classified "excellent" in her own right and was the grand champion female not only at the Halton show but also at the Western Ontario Championship show. From the same herd, Lindale Basil Rosebay also classified "excellent" brought \$2,000.

Guernsey Show

Four of Halton Guernsey breeders also competed in a strong show. Joyce Bros. contingent brought back one second, two thirds, one fifth, and two sixths. M. T. McNabb and Sons of Georgetown won two thirds, one fourth, a fifth, one eighth, and a tenth. J. L. Chisholm had five fourths, one sixth, one eighth, and a ninth, while Wm. G. Booth had a third, a fourth and a sixth.

Halstein Show

A. G. Hunter and Pelletterio Bros. were the only Halton representa-

tives in the Black and White show, but needless to add they were worthy representatives. In the senior yearling bull class A. G. Hunter had second on Hunterholm R. A. Supreme. This animal later was declared reserve Junior champion male. Hunterholm also had fourth on his aged dry cow; sixth on a senior heifer calf; while Ashville Farms had as we recall fourth on their outstanding milking 3 year old; and fifth on their progeny.

Tamworth Swine

In this strong show, Halton was represented by a great list of entries from the herd of T. J. Brownridge & Son, of Georgetown. When we passed by they had already won four firsts in addition to quite a number of seconds, fourths and fifths. In addition they had both the grand champion and the reserve grand champion boars and the champion sow.

Hampshire Sheep

Down in the sheep barn we found the entries of J. H. Willmott & Son. While not quite as prominent as normally they nevertheless won their share with three seconds, one third, two fifths and a sixth.

Shorthorns

Unfortunately we didn't see much of this great show but we did learn that Grant Campbell had the Junior Champion Male on his winning junior bull calf. Unfortunately for your reporter judging was still in progress when we had to leave. Scotsdale, Campbell, Merry Brook, and Amosies all had some top quality individuals in their respective line-ups, and we are confident they would get at least their share of the top awards.

Queen's Guineas

Thursday afternoon of last week saw the judging of this popular event. Standing room was at a premium around the big ring in the coliseum when the 95 club members paraded their baby heaves. Charlie Yule, noted judge, of Calgary, had his work cut out with 42 entries in the Shorthorn section; 38 in the Aberdeen Angus; and 15 in Herefords. This year Halton was represented only in the Shorthorn section, but what a showing those three young men made — all three, Alex Buchanan, Cliff Norrish, and John C. Willmott, wound up with their respective steers in the first prize group, and better still, John Willmott had the reserve champion Shorthorn steer, with Sandy Buchanan close behind in fourth position.

By the way, the Queen's Guineas went to the Hereford Champion exhibited by Wm. Dunbar, of Guelph, with the Angus champion in reserve — truly a great show.

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